SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: We wanted 'him to say categorically whether the Government had told the World Bank that it was none of their business to give unsolicited advice to the Government of India. I would like to know whether they have done it. That is the only question which is tormenting the entire House. Our sovereignty has been bartered away.

MR CHAIRMAN: You have not asked him whether the Government aavees with the suggestions or not.

SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: Let him say that he has told the World Bank that it is none of their business to give unsolicited advice to the Government of India. Let him say He should have been categorical.. *(Intemiptions)...* He should have been categorical .

MR. CHAIRMAN: Please do sit down.

SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY: Sir. another important part of my unanswered question is..

SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: Mr. Reddy. let him say that the Government has told, them that it is none of their Business to malce this unsolicited advice.

MR. CHAIRMAN; T have only asked Mr. Reddy to put that question .

SHRI S, .TAIPAL REDDY; Sir, in addition to the clarification which Mr. Gurudas Das Gupta is seeking which was part of my question, another part is whether the Government will publicise the report as a whole without treating it as a classified document.

SHRI C. K. .TAPPER SHARIEP: Mr. Chairman Sir, I will go into the questions,

SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: Mr. Chairman sir, may I have your per-mission ?sir, may I have your per-mission > sir may I have your per-

Sir, I seek your protection. Sir, 1 seek your protection. Mr. Reddy has endorsed my question. The question is very simple. Has the Railway Minister told the World Bank that it is none of their business?

MR. CHAIRMAN: I am sorry. Question Hour is over. *(Interruptions).*

SHRI GURUDAS DAs GUPTA: We want a half-an-hour discussion.

SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY: There are occassions when the Chairman can make an exemption. *(Interruptions),* The Minister has got away . ..*{Interruptions)* .

MR. CHAIRMAN: Question Hour is over. Papers to be Laid on the Table. Shri Jaffer Sharief.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TQ QUESIIONS

Villages without Post Officer in Gujarat

*402. SHRI ANANTRAY EVSHANKER DAVE: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased 10 state:

(a) whether Government have con' ducted any survey in Gujarat regarding the villages which do not have Post Offices at present;

(b) ir so, what are the district-wise details thereof;

(c) by when Government propose to open Post Offices in all the villages of the State: and

(d) whether Government propose to make available mobile Post Offices in such villages of the State for the time being, to cater to the postal needs of villagers"

THF MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) and(b) Yes . sir However the district wise details

of villages without post offices, at present, are given in the annexed, statement. *(See below)*

(c) There is no plan to provide post offices lli all the villages of the State. Government's objective is to provide post offices in those areas where such facility docs not exist, Subject to ful-fiThienf of departmental norms and availability of resources.

(d) No, Sir. However, it is propa sed to provide certain basic postal facilities through the gram Panchayats.

Statement

District-wise details of villages without Post Offices in Gujarat

Sl. No.	Name of district	No. of villages without Post Office
1.	Ahmedabad	244
2.	Amreli	309
3.	Banaskhantha	941
4.	Bharuch	654
5.	Bhavnagar	468
6.	Dang	255
7.	Ghandinagar	16
8.	Jamnagar	365
9.	Junagadh	573
10.	Kheda	392
11.	Kachchh-Bhuj	415
12.	Mahesana	855
13.	Panchmahals	1389
14.	Rajkot	463
15.	Sarbarkantha	603
16.	Surat	738
17.	Surendranagar	339
18.	Vadodara	1069
19.	Valsad	295
	TOTAL :	10383